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<b>Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b> 09/625,049	<b>Applicant(s)</b> SCHOONJANS ET AL.	
	<b>Examiner</b> Larry R. Helms	<b>Art Unit</b> 1642	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Larry R. Helms. (3)\_\_\_\_\_.

(2) Ms Sanders. (4)\_\_\_\_\_.

Date of Interview: 11 December 2002.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference  
c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_.

Claim(s) discussed: all rejected claims.

Identification of prior art discussed: carter and tutt.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Advised Ms. Sanders that the finality of the office action mailed 10/15/02 is withdrawn in view that the carter and tutt rejection should be a new rejection.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

i) ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview(if box is checked).

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